

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Lopatin, *et al.*

Title: METHOD OF USING TERNARY COPPER
ALLOY TO OBTAIN A LOW RESISTANCE
AND LARGE GRAIN SIZE INTERCONNECT

Appl. No.: 09/994,395

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Examiner: Ori Nadav

Art Unit: 2811

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD
OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner in the Final Office Action dated July 12, 2007, and in the Advisory Action dated August 10, 2007, finally rejecting Claims 1-4, 6, 8-13, 15-20, 22 and 23.

☐ Applicant claims small entity status.

☐ Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

☒ Notice of Appeal Fee

☒ To be paid as detailed below

☐ Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal)

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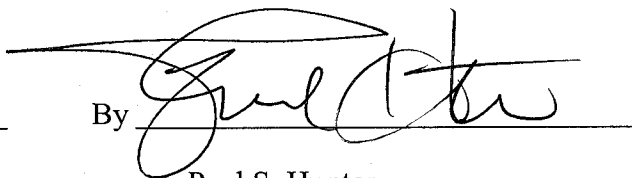
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Respectfully submitted,

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